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NOMINATION OF OFFICERS FOR 1973-1974

The April 24, 1973 Historical Society Board Meeting will be a general meeting for the purpose of nominating new officers. The Nominating Committee, Mrs. John Helmick, Mrs. Wayne Merryman, Mrs. Roy Williams, present for approval by the membership of the Society the following persons:

President	Mr. Lee Pfautch
Vice-President	Mrs. Homer Schreiber
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. Allen Viguers
Treasurer	Mrs. Robert Fisher
Board of Directors	Mrs. Jack Marchant
	Mr. Walter Costa
	Mr. Jack Marchant

Nominations may be made from the floor.

The April 24 meeting will be at the George Finger residence, 1137 Garden Lane, Lafayette, (283-2203) at 8:00 P.M.

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION STATUS

After having completed all the necessary requirements, the Lafayette Historical Society has been designated a non-profit organization. All donations and contributions made to the Society are tax-deductible. The Society thanks Mrs. Fern Davis, Mrs. Sandy Kimball and Mr. Lee Pfautch who spent countless hours securing all the pertinent information and completing all the necessary forms.

COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUES CEREMONY SET FOR 12:30 P.M. ON MAY 6

The Old Lafayette School and the two handsome deodar trees at the Methodist Church on Moraga Road will each have a bronze plaque in a ceremony at 12:30 P.M. Society members, church and local dignitaries will participate.

The public is invited.

80 years ago, The Lafayette School Board levied a special tax for $2000 to build a new school. The contract was let in April 1893 and the school building, now part of the Church, was completed on June 15, 1893. This information was taken from the original School Board Minutes (located in the office of the Lafayette District Superintendent of Schools). Copies of these Minutes are now in the file cabinet at the Lafayette Library.

HOUSE AND LANDMARK TOUR TO BE MAY 6

An afternoon tour is being planned to take you through Lafayette and the historic surrounding community.

This self-guided tour will show the history of the area from the days of the large ranches to the establishment of the village and to the development of our present city of Lafayette. A map will point out some of the landmarks and historically significant buildings as well as those private residences that will be open to us on the May 6 tour.

The tour, scheduled to follow the plaquing ceremony, is limited to Historical Society members and their friends. A donation of $2.50 per person will be requested.

NEW PICTURE POST CARD SERIES

An entirely new group of picture post cards of early Lafayette and vicinity is being printed and will be available at the time of the House and Landmark Tour.

MEETINGS OF INTEREST

The Friends of the Lafayette Library invite you to hear Miss Yoshiko Uchida, author, on Sunday April 8, at 3:00 P.M., Lafayette Branch Library.

The Friends of the Orinda Library invite you to hear Mr. Thomas Gates, historian, April 25, at 10:00 A.M. at the Orinda Branch Library.